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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
ROBERTSON et al. )  
Serial No. 09/857,739 ) Art Unit: 1642  
Filed: June 8, 2001 ) Examiner: Misook Yu  
For: CANCER DETECTION METHODS AND REAGENTS )

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir :

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on April 27, 2006, please consider the following remarks. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time and the appropriate fee for a small entity are enclosed.

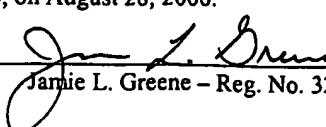
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